



Strengthening Science-Policy-Industry links in the CBRN-E sector

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BOUCHE À OREILLE Conference Centre, rue Félix Hap 11, 1040 Brussels

Session 1 – Welcome, introduction

- 9:30 Welcome address by **Graham WILLMOTT**, DG ENTR
- 9:40 Needs to strengthen science-policy-industry in the CBRN-E area – Facts and figures by **Philippe QUEVAUVILLER**, DG ENTR
- 10:00 EDEN outline, a natural platform of exchanges by **Clive GOODCHILD**, BAES

Session 2 – Snapshot of EU policies in the area of CBRN-E

- 10:15 CBRN Action Plan by **Eva-Maria ENGDAHL**, DG HOME
- 10:30 CBRN resilience in civil protection by **Yves DUSSART**, DG ECHO
- 10:45 EU Customs policy for supply chain security and use of customs detection technology for CBRNE by **Manuela CABRAL**, DG TAXUD

11:00 *BREAK*

Session 2, ctd – Snapshot of EU policies in the area of CBRN-E

- 11:30 Risk management under new Decision 1082/2013/EC on serious cross-border threats to health, **Paolo GUGLIELMETTI**, DG SANCO
- 11:45 Topic on external dimension to be defined by **Philippe AUBERT**, FPI
- 12:00 The external dimension, CBRNE Centres of Excellence by **Tristan SIMONART**, DG DEVCO
- 12:15 Questions / Responses



12:30-14:00 LUNCH BREAK

Session 3 – EU research funding

- 14:00 CBRN research and standardisation – Introduction by **Bruno CHENART**, DG ENTR
- 14:15 JRC activities by **Said ABOUSAHL**, DG JRC
- 14:30 EDA Joint Investment Programme on CBRN protection by **Gerlof DE WILDE**, EDA
- 14:45 Questions / Responses

Session 4 – Way forward to develop operational SPI links in crisis management

- 15:00 Driving Innovation in European crisis management and resilience: tools, concepts and policies by **Fernando KRAUS**, ATOS (Spain), and **Merle MISSOWEIT**, Fraunhofer (Germany)
- 15:15 BREAK

Session 4 – Examples of selected CBRN-E projects

- 15:40 PRACTICE by **Sahovic DZENAN**, European CBRNE Centre (Sweden)
- 15:50 CATO by **Carlos ROJAS PALMA**, SCK (Belgium)
- 16:00 MIRACLE by **Jean-Luc GALA**, UCL (Belgium)
- 16:10 Focus on biological toxins of potential bioterrorism risk: are we prepared in EU-28? by **Brigitte DORNER**, RKI (Germany)
- 16:20 BFREE and TWOBIAAS by **Janet-Martha BLATNY**, FFI (Norway)

Session 5 – Way forward to develop operational SPI links in crisis management (including CBRN-E)

- 16:40 Conclusions / Discussions – how to develop and strengthen a SPI mechanism in the CBRNE area in European Commission
- 17:30 Closure of the meeting